

THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:12-cv-00360-MR-DLH

RALPH O'NEIL STARNES, et al., )  
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Plaintiffs,                  )  
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vs.                             )                                   O R D E R  
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A.O. SMITH CORPORATION, et al., )  
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Defendants.                 )  
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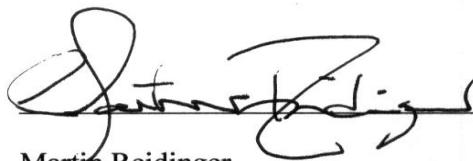
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the parties' Joint Motion to Dismiss Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc. Only [Doc. 395].

For the reasons stated in the motion, and for cause shown,

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the Joint Motion [Doc. 395] is **GRANTED**, and all of the Plaintiffs' claims against Defendant Kaiser Gypsum Company, Inc. are hereby **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

  
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Martin Reidinger  
United States District Judge  
